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SUBJ: MINERS REQUEST FREE EXERCISE OF CIVIL LIBERTIES

REF: LA PAZ 1546, LA PAZ 3694

1. IN LETTER PRESENTED TO PRESIDENT BANZER JUNE 15(MINERS' FEDERATION (FSTMB) DEMANDED REOPENING OF BOLIVIAN LABOR CENTRAL (COB) AS TRADE, LXION# LIBERTY IS RECOGNIZED IN BOLIVIAN CONSTITUTION, IN ILO CONVENTION TO WHICH BOLIVIA IS SIGNATORY AND IN BANZER' S OWN ANNUNCED POLICY." LETTER ALSO REQUESTED RELEASE OF MINE LEADERS AND OTHER POLITICAL PRISONERS, AND TERMINATION OF

LAW OF SECURITY OF THE STATE (LA PAZ 1546) WHICH ACCORDING TO FSTMB " CREATES RESENTMENT, TENDS TO DIVIDE BOLIVIANS, AND BEING UNCONSTITUTIONAL AMOUNTS TO PERMANENT STATE OF SEIGE."

2. COMMENT: FSTMB CALL FOR REOPENING COB FOLLOWS ON HEELS MINLABOR STATEMENT THAT COBEWOULD NOT BE REOPENED " UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCE" (LA PAZ 3694) AND ALSO IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING MININTERIOREREJECTION OF PETITION BY RELATIVES OF POLITICAL PRISONERS FOR AMNESTY.
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FSTMB UNDER PRESSURE FROM ITS AFFILIATED UNIONS WHO HAVE BEEN
MILITANTLY DEMANDING REOPENING COB AND WE ANTICIPATE THAT OTHER
LABOR AND CIVIC ORGANIZATIONS WILL CONTINUE TO EXERT PRESSURE
ON BANZER TO RESTORE GREATER
CONSTITUTIONALLY GRANTED CIVIL LIBERTIES.
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